

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION

JADA WALKER, )  
Plaintiff, ) CASE NO.: 5:23-cv-01205  
vs. ) JUDGE JOHN R. ADAMS  
CITY OF AKRON, et al., ) **PARTIES' JOINT STATUS REPORT**  
Defendants. )

Counsel for the undersigned parties hereby file their Joint Status Report, pursuant to this Court's Order of January 31, 2024. (Doc. No. 32.) Since the filing of the Parties' previous Joint Status Report (Doc. No. 57 filed on May 25, 2024), the Parties have made considerable strides in settlement discussions. At this time, the Parties are continuing settlement discussions and are getting close to hopefully resolving the case. It is the Parties hopes to present the finalized settlement to the Court by the next status report.

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Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on August 6, 2024, I caused the foregoing to be electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record.

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